

Later in the morning, the President traveled to Cleveland, OH, where, upon arrival, he met with USA Freedom Corps volunteer T.J. Powell. Later, at The Cleveland Clinic, he viewed a demonstration of health care information technology.

In the afternoon, the President returned to Washington, DC. Later, he participated in an interview with the New York Times. He then participated in an interview with Brian Lamb of C-SPAN.

### **January 28**

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing. Later, he traveled to White Sulphur Springs, WV, arriving in the afternoon.

Later in the afternoon, the President returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to appoint Brig. Gen. Jack Nicholson, USA (Ret.), as Secretary of the American Battle Monuments Commission.

The President announced his intention to appoint Ronald A. Faucheux and Daron R. Shaw as members of the National Historical Publications and Records Commission.

The President announced his intention to designate Peter Lichtenbaum as Acting Under Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration.

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## **Nominations Submitted to the Senate**

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The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

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### **Submitted January 24**

David A. Balton,  
of the District of Columbia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Oceans and Fisheries (new position).

Stephen Thomas Conboy,  
of Virginia, to be U.S. Marshal for the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for

the term of 4 years, vice Todd Walther Dillard.

Joseph R. DeTrani,  
of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Special Envoy for the Six Party Talks (new position).

John Thomas Schieffer,  
of Texas, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Japan.

Michael Butler,  
of Tennessee, to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2008, vice Eric D. Eberhard, term expired.

James William Carr,  
of Arkansas, to be a member of the National Security Education Board for a term of 4 years, vice Manuel Trinidad Pacheco, term expired.

Harold Damelin,  
of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Department of the Treasury, vice Jeffrey Rush, Jr., resigned.

George M. Dennison,  
of Montana, to be a member of the National Security Education Board for a term of 4 years, vice Bruce Sundlun, term expired.

Thomas C. Dorr,  
of Iowa, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for Rural Development, vice Jill L. Long, resigned.

Thomas C. Dorr,  
of Iowa, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation, vice Jill L. Long, resigned.

Edward L. Flippen,  
of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Corporation for National and Community Service, vice J. Russell George.

Peter Cyril Wyche Flory,  
of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, vice Jack Dyer Crouch II.

Thomas A. Fuentes,  
of California, to be a member of the Board  
of Directors of the Legal Services Corpora-  
tion for a term expiring July 13, 2005, vice  
Thomas F. Smegal, Jr., term expired.

Carolyn L. Gallagher,  
of Texas, to be a Governor of the U.S. Postal  
Service for a term expiring December 8,  
2009, vice Louis J. Giuliano.

Louis J. Giuliano,  
of New York, to be a Governor of the U.S.  
Postal Service for a term expiring December  
8, 2005, vice Carolyn L. Gallagher.

Louis J. Giuliano,  
of New York, to be a Governor of the U.S.  
Postal Service for a term expiring December  
8, 2014 (reappointment).

A. Wilson Greene,  
of Virginia, to be a member of the National  
Museum and Library Services Board for a  
term expiring December 6, 2009 (reappoint-  
ment).

Floyd Hall,  
of New Jersey, to be a member of the Reform  
Board (Amtrak) for a term of 5 years, vice  
Amy M. Rosen, term expired.

Tony Hammond,  
of Virginia, to be a Commissioner of the Post-  
al Rate Commission for a term expiring Octo-  
ber 14, 2010 (reappointment).

William Hardiman,  
of Michigan, to be a member of the Board  
of Directors of the National Institute of  
Building Sciences for a term expiring Sep-  
tember 7, 2006, vice H. Terry Rasco, term  
expired.

D. Jeffrey Hirschberg,  
of Wisconsin, to be a member of the Broad-  
casting Board of Governors for a term expir-  
ing August 13, 2007 (reappointment).

Nadine Hogan,  
of Florida, to be a member of the Board of  
Directors of the Inter-American Foundation  
for a term expiring June 26, 2008, vice Frank  
D. Yturria, resigned.

Howard J. Krongard,  
of New Jersey, to be Inspector General, De-  
partment of State, vice Clark Kent Ervin.

Daniel R. Levinson,  
of Maryland, to be Inspector General, De-  
partment of Health and Human Services,  
vice Janet Rehnquist, resigned.

Luis Luna,  
of Maryland, to be an Assistant Administrator  
of the Environmental Protection Agency,  
vice Morris X. Winn.

Andrew J. McKenna, Jr.,  
of Illinois, to be a member of the National  
Security Education Board for a term of 4  
years, vice Robert N. Shamansky, term ex-  
pired.

Ronald E. Meisburg,  
of Virginia, to be a member of the National  
Labor Relations Board for the term of 5 years  
expiring August 27, 2008, vice Rene Acosta,  
resigned.

Brian David Miller,  
of Virginia, to be Inspector General, General  
Services Administration, vice Daniel R.  
Levinson.

Pamela Hughes Patenaude,  
of New Hampshire, to be an Assistant Sec-  
retary of Housing and Urban Development,  
vice Romolo A. Bernardi.

Buddie J. Penn,  
of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of  
the Navy, vice H.T. Johnson.

George Perdue,  
of Georgia, to be a member of the Board  
of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial  
Fellowship Foundation for a term expiring  
November 5, 2006, vice Carroll A. Campbell,  
Jr., term expired.

Bernice Phillips,  
of New York, to be a member of the Board  
of Directors of the Legal Services Corpora-  
tion for a term expiring July 13, 2005, vice  
Maria Luisa Mercado, term expired.

Jorge A. Plasencia,  
of Florida, to be a member of the Advisory Board for Cuba Broadcasting for a term expiring October 27, 2006, vice Joseph Francis Glennon, term expired.

Craig T. Ramey,  
of West Virginia, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the National Board for Education Sciences for a term of 2 years (new position).

D. Michael Rappoport,  
of Arizona, to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2008 (reappointment).

Maj. Gen. Don T. Riley, USA,  
to be a member and President of the Mississippi River Commission.

David B. Rivkin, Jr.,  
of Virginia, to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States for the term expiring September 30, 2007, vice Laramie Faith McNamara.

Harry Robinson, Jr.,  
of Texas, to be a member of the National Museum and Library Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2008 (reappointment).

Ronald Rosenfeld,  
of Oklahoma, to be a Director of the Federal Housing Finance Board for the remainder of the term expiring February 27, 2009, vice John Thomas Korsmo, resigned.

Charles P. Ruch,  
of South Dakota, to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Barry Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Foundation for a term expiring August 11, 2010, vice Niranjana Shamalbhai Shah, term expired.

Kiron Kanina Skinner,  
of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the National Security Education Board for a term of 4 years, vice Herschelle S. Challenor.

Thomas V. Skinner,  
of Illinois, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, vice John Peter Suarez, resigned.

Jay T. Snyder,  
of New York, to be a member of the U.S. Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy for a term expiring July 1, 2007 (reappointment).

Enrique J. Sosa,  
of Florida, to be a member of the Reform Board (Amtrak) for a term of 5 years, vice Linwood Holton, term expired.

Katina P. Strauch,  
of South Carolina, to be a member of the National Museum and Library Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2009, vice Elizabeth J. Pruet, term expired.

Kenneth Y. Tomlinson,  
of Virginia, to be a member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2007 (reappointment).

Kenneth Y. Tomlinson,  
of Virginia, to be Chairman of the Broadcasting Board of Governors (reappointment).

Jack Vaughn,  
of Texas, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring September 20, 2006, vice Patricia Hill Williams, resigned.

Raymond Thomas Wagner, Jr.,  
of Missouri, to be a member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board for a term expiring September 14, 2009 (reappointment).

Roger W. Wallace,  
of Texas, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2008, vice Fred P. DuVal.

Allen Weinstein,  
of Maryland, to be Archivist of the United States, vice John W. Carlin.

John Paul Woodley, Jr.,  
of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army, vice Michael Parker.

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**Checklist  
of White House Press Releases**

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The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

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***Released January 24***

Statement by the Press Secretary: Meeting in Brussels With French President Jacques Chirac

***Released January 25***

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

***Released January 26***

Fact sheet: President Bush's Plan To Make Health Care More Affordable

***Released January 27***

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Fact sheet: Improving Care and Saving Lives Through Health IT

***Released January 28***

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

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**Acts Approved  
by the President**

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NOTE: No acts approved by the President were received by the Office of the Federal Register during the period covered by this issue.